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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6050 NOTE PREPARED: Nov 18, 2005

BILL NUMBER: SB 125 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Student Health Measurements.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Dillon BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State & Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation</u>: The bill requires each school corporation to report certain student health data to the State Department of Health (SDH) beginning in 2007. The bill requires the SDH to publish an annual report summarizing the data. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the Health Finance Commission).

Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

Explanation of State Expenditures: *Summary:* Under the bill, the SDH would be required to publish an annual report that summarizes student growth information reported by school corporations. The SDH should be able to fulfill this provision within the existing level of resources available.

Background: The SDH reverted \$417,320 at the close of FY 2005. The annual budget for SDH administration is \$27.32 M for FY 2006 and \$27.34 M for FY 2007.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: Local schools would likely require additional administrative time to collect and report the student growth information to the SDH. Schools able to use existing personnel and resources should be able to be implement collection and reporting of the required data with minimal additional expenditure. Schools would begin to collect and report data on student health, weight, ethnicity, age, and gender in 2007.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

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State Agencies Affected: Indiana State Department of Health.

Local Agencies Affected: School corporations.

<u>Information Sources:</u> Indiana State Budget Agency: General Fund Property Tax Replacement Fund And Rainy Day Fund Summaries FY 2005; State of Indiana List of Appropriations July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2007.

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